

AMENDMENTS TO LB953

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM1779)

Introduced by Albrecht, 17.

1 1. On page 2, line 10, after the second comma insert "a description
2 of the medical, surgical, or hospital expenses incurred for treatment of
3 the injury that will remain unpaid as part of the settlement which are
4 disputed and for which compensability has been denied by the employer,";
5 in line 11 after "be" insert "reasonably"; in line 23 after "If" insert
6 "the expenses for"; strike beginning with "resolution" in line 27 through
7 "payment" in line 28 and insert "nonpayment or nonreimbursement"; in line
8 28 strike "services" and insert "expenses, as"; and in line 29 strike
9 "for approval of a lump-sum settlement" and insert an underscored comma.

10 2. On page 3, line 1, strike "resolution of payment" and insert
11 "nonpayment or nonreimbursement"; in line 2 strike "services" and insert
12 "expenses"; in line 9 strike "for an order approving the settlement";
13 strike beginning with "for" in line 15 through "settlement" in line 16;
14 in line 23 after the period insert "An order approving an application
15 under this subsection shall, in any case in which the employee is
16 represented by counsel and in which the application contains a
17 description of the medical, surgical, or hospital expenses incurred for
18 treatment of the injury that will remain unpaid as part of the settlement
19 which are disputed and for which compensability has been denied by the
20 employer, provide that the employer is not liable for such expenses.";
21 and after line 30 insert the following new subdivision:

22 "(d) An exclusion from coverage in any health, accident, or other
23 insurance policy covering an employee which provides that coverage under
24 such insurance policy does not apply if such employee is entitled to
25 workers' compensation coverage is void as to such employee if his or her
26 employer is not liable for medical, surgical, or hospital expenses

1 incurred for treatment of an injury that will remain unpaid as part of
2 the settlement pursuant to an order entered under subdivision (2)(c) of
3 this section."